

ADA REHAN'S STATUE.

The celebrated "silver statue," which was on exhibition at the World's Fair, and for which it is said Ada Rehan posed, is no supposed to be worth less than \$1,000, says the Topeka Journal, although it has always been supposed to be solid silver and to have a value of \$30,000.

Some time after the World's Fair the statue was brought to Topeka for exhibition, and while it was there creditors of the Chicago firm which owned the statue attached it and had a receiver appointed for the property.

Those who have claims against the statue now offer to sell for less than \$1,000, but the owners do not seem disposed to accept the offer, although they have been frequently notified of it. This leads to the suspicion that the "silver statue" is composed largely of lead and is not worth \$1,000.

In the meantime it is kept here in the cellar of Samuel Barnum, Jr., who is the receiver appointed by Judge Hazen.

WEDDING MONTHS.

There is a popular idea that June is the favorite month for weddings, and that the young woman who loves romance and wishes fortune to smile upon her nuptials in every way must choose this of all months. Cold and unromantic fact, however, shows that the three most popular marriage months are October, November and December. Fifty years' records show this to be true, and also demonstrates the fact that the most unpopular months for marriage are January, February and March.

Mrs. Boarding-Hash—I see you are very fond of literature, Mrs. Sigmund! Mrs. Sigmund—Oh, yes; I have just finished reading "The Reverse of a Bachelor."—Chicago Inter-Clean.

"How about the children?" asked the inquisitive neighbor.

"Oh," said the man who had married against a good mother for his little ones, "she doesn't mind them at all."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

"They say no two men are exactly alike."

"I know it, and it's the most common thing in the world to see two women with a difference between them."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Dumberton—I see that Doodle has got a wheel at last; he's been for some time bent on having one.

Flasher—Yes; and now that he's got it, he'll be more bent on it than ever. —Richmond Dispatch.

Laura—Doesn't the Count speak beautiful French?

Adelaide—Ah, yes! It is divine. Every little while I can almost seem to understand something that he says even without the help of his motions. —Cleveland Leader.

"I think my old overcoat will do to Christmas."

"Yes; and after Christmas you won't get one because it will be so near spring."—Chicago Record.

Mrs. Crismonbeak—My life, John, is an open book.

Mr. Crismonbeak—That's the trouble I wish to goodness I could shut you up some time!—Yonker's Statesman.

"There is not as much public spirit as there used to be."

"Nope. In my grandfather's time they had the stuff set out in barrels on election day for any voter who wanted who wanted it."—Indianapolis Journal.

During the past week two or three Japanese have been at Richmond stopping at the Jefferson Hotel with a view of making arrangements in this country for the purchase of leaf tobacco to ship to their factories in Japan. They remained at Richmond two or three days and made a good impression upon the business men, with whom they came in contact. These merchants were bright, progressive and seemed to be well-informed about the business affairs, not only of their own country, but of this one as well.

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